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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: **Synergistic Mixtures of UV-Absorbers in Polyolefins**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 44 pages of specification including claims
- ☒ 1 page(s) of abstract
- ☐ \_\_\_ sheet(s) of drawing ☐ formal ☐ informal
- ☒ Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (original)
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- ☐ Associate Power of Attorney
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment

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- ☐ This application is a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part of prior application No. \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_.
  - ☐ The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied, is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
  - ☒ Priority of application No. 00810290.7 filed on April 4, 2000 respectively; in Europe (designating Germany) is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.

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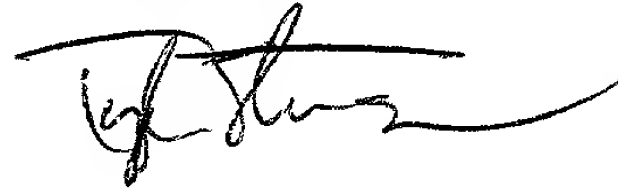
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